From: Ben Banipal
To: Lydia Johnson

Subject: Re: Cedar Chemical PRP Search - analysis of tolling agreements

Date: 12/11/2012 11:03 AM

Lydia,

thanks...... I will talk to Charles and John.

Regards, Ben Banipal, P.E. Acting Associate Director Technical & Enforcement Branch (SF-T) Phone No. 214-665-7324

-----Lydia Johnson/R6/USEPA/US wrote: -----

To: Ben Banipal/R6/USEPA/US@EPA From: Lydia Johnson/R6/USEPA/US

Date: 12/10/2012 04:11PM

Subject: Cedar Chemical PRP Search - analysis of tolling agreements

Ben,

There has not been much progress on the analyses needed to complete the PRP search. I spoke with Phil Allen last week and he has several competing priorities. I did tell him I was going to assign another EO with a science background (who is not currently assigned to the site) to work on the tasking. I agree that there may be some confusion on the priority of the project and a discussion with Charles and John may clarify.

----- Forwarded by Lydia Johnson/R6/USEPA/US on 12/10/2012 04:05 PM -----

From: Kim Shultz/R6/USEPA/US To: Philip Allen/R6/USEPA/US@EPA

Cc: Lance Nixon/R6/USEPA/US@EPA, Louise Delano/R6/USEPA/US@EPA, Lydia

Johnson/R6/USEPA/US@EPA Date: 12/05/2012 01:34 PM Subject: Re: TO 06 PWS

Hi Philip,

As I mentioned in my last e-mail, we have not set up a billing number for this WRF as we were not sure you agreed with the subtask identified. I have attached the statement of work again with the subtask highlighted.

Louise did contact ADEQ and we received a replacement disk from ADEQ in November, which we made a copy of for review. Louise said you asked for the ADEQ disks yesterday, which we are prepared to return.

Please let me know if you wish for us to proceed with this WRF using the copies we have in identifying relevant documents. We have identified chemists in the company, who can assist with the project and we have various ways to gather the evidence. Do you want us to prepare a cost estimate based on what we know to date? Also, during the October meeting, we understood that 104(e) letters had been sent out. Have you

received any 104(e) responses, which may also contain information relevant to the preparation of a response for you?

Please advise, so we may provide you with the support you are seeking.

Best regards,

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-----Kim Shultz/R6/USEPA/US wrote: -----

To: Philip Allen/R6/USEPA/US@EPA From: Kim Shultz/R6/USEPA/US Date: 10/26/2012 11:08AM

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Johnson/R6/USEPA/US@EPA Subject: Re: TO 06 PWS

Hi Philip,

Checking to see where we stand with this project? Do you agree with the sub-task of B1a(6)? We have not set up a billing number; therefore, have done very little on this project except to try and read the discs you provided.

Second, do you want us to contact ADEQ directly about getting a replacement disc since Disc 1 will not open?

We are anxious to proceed with this project, but need additional guidance to press forward.

Best regards,

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Kim Shultz---10/16/2012 09:01:39 AM---Good morning, Philip, Apologize for not getting this to you yesterday afternoon. Based on my under

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Cc: Lance Nixon/R6/USEPA/US@EPA, Louise Delano/R6/USEPA/US@EPA, Lydia

Johnson/R6/USEPA/US@EPA Date: 10/16/2012 09:01 AM

Subject: TO 06 PWS

Good morning, Philip,

Apologize for not getting this to you yesterday afternoon. Based on my understanding of the initial tasking, B1a(6) appears to cover the activities you want us to undertake. Please let me know if you would prefer to bill it under a different subtask.

We tried to look at the disks from ADEQ labeled Cedar Chemical Disc 1 but received an error message. The disk shows to have 0 bytes on it. We tried reading the disk on 3 machines without success. Disc 2 opened fine with only one company-named folder on Disc 2 with a few other files. Is there any way to get a copy of Disc 1 since it appears the bulk of the information is likely on that disc (assuming more PRP named folders, etc.)?

Best regards,

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